

Samuel Pepys (pronounced "Peeps")  
 passed away in London suburb of  
 Clapham.

He was wealthy. Had been a  
 widower for 30 yrs

Born about <sup>1633</sup>1634. He was about  
 69 when he died  
 His father was a London <sup>TAILOR.</sup> ~~Taylor~~

1703

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Jerrett

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1,703

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Russia

Peter the Great decided to build a new capital on the Neva. Peter had visited the West in 1697 & 1698. He admired its applied science, its economic institutions, and its navies & shipbuilding. He banned beards and Muscovite dress. He extended the nobles' duties of state service; founded a natl network of technical schools; created a standing Army; centralized state administration. His great foreign policy success victory over Sweden in the Great Northern War (1700-

-1721) and in the Treaty of NYSTAD. Previous  
gained because, Estonia, Ingria (in the swampy  
around St. Petersburg area, at great cost) and  
Karelia, ending Sweden's major frontier and  
making Russia a Baltic maritime power.  
Against Turkey, Peter was not successful,  
but his wars in the southwest promised  
the pan-Slavic theme, the right to protect the  
Slavic people of the Balkans and that became  
a permanent element of Russian policy



1703

### War of Spanish Succession

The French command planned a junction with the Bavarian forces on the upper Danube and a march on Vienna. At this moment Eugene (sorry) switched over to the allies, while Portugal (hitherto neutral) joined the alliance.

1703

1912 Dates J-BK

Earthquake  
In Jeddo (now Tokyo), Japan.  
200,000 killed

1703

Foundation of St. Petersburg,  
Capital of Russian Empire

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## Buckingham Palace

600 - room palace built by the  
duke of Buckingham in 1703

1837 - became British monarch's  
residence in London since 1837

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The Province of Pennsylvania  
was erected.